

35. (Original) The kit according to claim 28 wherein the ductal access probes are removably connectable to the manifold and wherein at least one of said outlets is configured, upon removal of a respective one of said probes therefrom, for closure to fluid flow.

36. (Original) The kit according to claim 28 wherein said instruction further include the step of collecting fluid from each accessed ductal network, wherein the fluid is collected

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 18-36 were originally pending in this application. Claim 18 has been amended. Support for the new claim can be found throughout the specification, specifically on page 2 lines 7-17. No new matter has been added. Entry of this amendment prior to examination is requested. Applicant asks that all claims be examined and allowed.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that no fee is required for this submission. If any fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 502855, accordingly. If any questions or issues remain, the resolution of which the Examiner feels would be advanced by a conference with Applicant, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the number noted below.

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